

Call for Legislature to Meet Issued in Oklahoma

This Probably Means a Show Down Between Governor Walton and Members of the Assembly.

Forty-five Names Are on the Call

This Number Expected to Be Increased to 54, a Majority, During Day—Troops Keep Up Guard Duties.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Sept. 20 (By the Associated Press).—Events in Oklahoma moved today toward a show down between Governor J. C. Walton and members of the state legislature over the Executive's exercise of authority and his war on the Ku Klux Klan and mob floggers.

A call for an extraordinary session of the lower house to consider a series of charges that Governor Walton has taken unto himself the powers of a despot and has supplanted constitutional government with a dictatorship, was issued early this morning.

The call, as made public by W. D. McBe, representative from Stephens county, bore the names of 45 house members with the promise that during the day this would grow to 54, constituting a majority of the House.

Soon next Wednesday is the hour fixed for the assembling of the lawmakers. Representative McBe declared he anticipated no attempt by the Governor to carry out his threat to jail the legislators in the event that they convened.

"The folly of attempting to carry out his threat to arrest members has been made apparent to him. He realizes that the call is legal and cannot be forestalled," McBe asserted.

At almost the same moment that the legislative call was issued Governor Walton appealed to the people of the state in a proclamation, to repudiate the attempt of the lawmakers to assemble, charging that those sponsoring the movements are "Klan members" of the legislature "inspired by the Invisible Empire, and aided by the Klan press."

It was asserted by Representative McBe that Governor Walton in conjunction with Murray F. Gibbons, speaker of the House, was contemplating the issuance of a call for a special session "in a last desperate effort with the hope that some of the boys might be won over to his cause by a show of desire to remedy a situation that he has created."

McBe released the call drawn by house members, he explained, "to beat the Governor to it."

Oklahoma City, Sept. 20 (By the Associated Press).—To forestall charges at the extraordinary session of the Oklahoma Legislature called to meet next Wednesday is a "Klan legislature," a committee of seven state representatives issued a statement today in which they declared they advocated "a law prohibiting the wearing of masks, of masked assemblies, and of severe penalties for floggings or violence of any kind."

BATTLE OF NEW MARKET REENACTED

Cabinet Officers and Other Government Officials Witness Sham Battle by Marines and V. M. I. Cadets.

(By the Associated Press.) New Market, Va., Sept. 20.—Cabinet officers and other government officials, high ranking officers of the army, navy and marine corps, and foreign diplomats were among the throng of visitors here today to view the reenactment of the battle of New Market by United States Marines and cadets of the Virginia Military Institute.

The cadet regiment was assigned the part played by students of the institute in the historic Civil War battle of more than 59 years ago. Making up the rest of the Confederate forces were part of marine corps from Quantico base, about 4,000 strong, with the remainder representing the Federal forces in the battle which occurred just outside of the town.

Streets and buildings of the town were elaborately decorated for the occasion, the Stars and Bars of the Confederacy in many instances floating beside the national emblem.

Great crowds are on hand for the spectacle, scheduled to begin at 1 p. m. today.

PROPOSED WAYS TO INSURE PEACE

Suggestions of Secretary Hughes and Professor Merriam.

Washington, Sept. 20 (Capital News Service).—Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes, speaking before the Canadian Bar Association, found that only in a getting back to the old idea of complete respect for law, could a lasting peace be obtained.

Mr. Hughes stated that "to abandon the struggle toward peace was to admit the failure of civilization. The sentiment of the people of every nation must be behind any concerted effort for world peace. All the measures of peace depended for their success on the will to peace of the people behind them."

"The only way, therefore, and the way that leaders of men must follow to lend humanity to peace, is the cultivation of that sense, almost lost during the great war, of respect for law for its own sake, regardless of the force behind it."

When the sentiment of the people of the world favors obedience to law, then international laws may rule the world in peace. Without that sentiment no artificial means would be effective."

Professor Charles E. Merriam, chair of Political Science of the University of Chicago, in a speech made before the Conference on Political Science, held at the University of Wisconsin, said:

"There have been three great scourges in the history of mankind—pestilence, famine, and war. The first two have practically disappeared among civilized peoples by analyzing, studying, and circumventing them. Why is war any less susceptible to scientific study than pestilence and famine? Law can banish war just as increased knowledge and skill have abolished the first two."

"Political research and investigation must be organized to the point where governmental information of all kinds is readily available to all workers in convenient form. We need comprehensive, detailed, and scientifically accurate reports on the thousands of experiments in government that are constantly going on."

Another Respite to Benson. Raleigh, Sept. 20.—Governor Morrison today granted a further respite of 30 days to Bob Benson, alleged murderer, from Irredell County, thus postponing his electrocution to November 1st. The Governor said he wanted further time to study the case.

DEATH OF DETROIT GIRL LED HUNDREDS TO MAKE PROTESTS

Father of Girl, Gladyslazza Lorenc, Charges That His Child Was Mistreated When Before Police.

ICE BATHS LED TO HER DEATH

The Father Claims, and He Says There Were Bruises on Her Body When It Was Brought From Hospital.

(By the Associated Press.) Detroit, Sept. 20.—While three physicians appointed by Coroner James E. Burgess, today examined the body of Gladyslazza Lorenc, a thirteen-year-old Polish girl, whom her father alleges died Saturday as a result of mistreatment by the police when under arrest on a charge of grand larceny, the police are on guard in the vicinity of the girl's home to prevent any demonstration. Two riot calls were sent to police headquarters last night and early today, as a result of alleged demonstrations.

John Lorenc, father of the girl, said his daughter told him just before she died that the police had abused her and forced her to take ice baths in an attempt to make her confess to the robbery of Joseph F. Anderson, who lived in the same building. He says there were bruises on the girl's body when it was brought home from the hospital.

According to the report of James Sprout, assistant superintendent of police, the girl was arrested on September 11th, and sent at once to the juvenile detention home. The following day she was removed to the hospital, and died Saturday as a result of acute pleurisy. The report says the girl was delirious when she talked to her father, and the marks on her body were the result of hypodermic injections and an autopsy performed with her father's permission.

The father's story of the police abuse resulted in hundreds of persons, many of them Polish and other nationalities to view the body.

The body has been arranged by a Polish newspaper for tonight to raise funds to press the investigation into the girl's death. The coroner has announced an inquest will be held after the report of the physicians who will examine the body today, is received.

DENIES HE HAS GIVEN NEGROES ANY 'ORDERS'

Mayor of Johnstown Says He Has 'Advised' Them to Leave For Own Good.

Johnstown, Pa., Sept. 19.—While Mayor Joseph Cauffiel insisted today that he had not issued a formal order deporting recently arrived negroes, he declared that he "had advised" them "for their own safety and the good of Johnstown to leave the city" and that "about 2,000 had gone within the last three weeks."

Pennsylvania railroad officials here said the movement of negroes out of the city was not more than usual at this time of year and policemen on duty at Rosedale, one of the negro sections of Johnstown, where three white policemen were killed by a recently arrived negro, placed the number at not more than several hundred.

At the Cambria works of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, where many negroes are employed, no statement was available other than that they had ceased bringing to Johnstown additional negro workmen from the south.

The movement inaugurated by Mayor Cauffiel has brought to public attention through newspaper publication when he was quoted as announcing in a statement that "for their own safety, I am ordering all newly arrived negro citizens to leave town."

The mayor said he had "advised" the Mexicans who come to Johnstown to work to leave also because he was afraid they might be mistaken for negroes, should trouble occur. The Mexicans live largely adjacent to the negro districts, which include Rosedale and Minerva, within the city, and East Conemaugh and Frinklin, suburbs.

When negroes are brought into city police court, Mayor Cauffiel declared he "gives them the limit of the law according to their offenses and then orders them to leave the city when their terms, which vary from a few days to 60 days, expire." On an average day, he said, about a half dozen negroes appear before the court. Some days none are arraigned, he added, and one day, immediately after the shooting of the officers at Rosedale, 125 were in court.

The mayor declared that under his instructions the Johnstown police were making periodic and systematic searches of negroes, who have lived here less than seven years, for weapons. He also stated that he had forbidden the sale of firearms and their display in store windows. The police, however, are not being used to compel negroes to leave Johnstown, he asserted.

The mayor stated that he had replied to Governor Pinchot's message asking for an explanation of his action but he refused to make it public, saying "that's up to the governor."

FALL FASHION FESTIVAL IN RALEIGH NEXT WEEK

Event Expected to Create Much Interest—Will Continue Three Days.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 20.—Plans have been completed and the program announced for Raleigh's second "Fall Festival," a trade event sponsored by the Capital City's Merchants' Association, which will take place this year, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, September 25, 26 and 27.

Beginning with a street carnival on the opening day, followed the initial night with an entertainment for entrants in a beauty contest, continued through Wednesday, which has been set aside as Civic Clubs Day, and ending Thursday with a street parade, the selection of the "queen of the Fall Festival" and a grand coronation ball, members of the Merchants' Association say they expect this three-day event to surpass all similar occasions in the history of this city.

The festival will be conducted by a central committee from the Merchants' Association composed of C. J. Jarvis, chairman; C. C. Gunn, A. T. Harton, John G. Bickle, secretary; John T. Taylor, Frank Thompson and J. M. Little. Committees also have been appointed to manage individual events on the program for the festival.

A beauty contest, which has been in course for some weeks, has been narrowed down to several contestants. From these the queen of the fall festival will be selected the last day of the festival. That night the favored girl will be crowned at a coronation ball to be held in the city auditorium. Governor Morrison is on the program to do the crowning and Josephus Daniels, former secretary of the navy, is scheduled to present the queen of the festival with a loving cup.

A parade to be participated in by contestants in the beauty contest, members of the Merchants' Association, the Boy Scouts, fraternal orders and civic organizations, will be conducted the morning of the last day. A reviewing party will be composed of city and state officials.

An elaborate program, including a grand promenade and an aesthetic dance exhibition by Miss Katherine Hughes and Billy Jordan, has been planned for the ball to be held Wednesday night.

The first day of the festival will be devoted to the civic clubs of the city. On the program for this day are a concert by the 120th Infantry band, an address of welcome by Mayor Eugene E. Culbreth, a barbecue, at which an address will be made by Josephus Daniels; a bicycle race, stunts and entertainment features.

MORE DEFICIT DATA IS RELEASED BY GOVERNOR

Total Figures, He Says, Shows There Was a Surplus in State on December 31, 1922.

(By the Associated Press.) Raleigh, Sept. 20.—Governor Morrison today made public a letter from State Auditor Baxter Durham and Treasurer B. R. Lacy, stating that the amount of revenue received by the state since December 31, 1922, which, under the revenue law was levied for the year of 1922 or years prior thereto, is \$5,178,965.67. After crediting this amount to the state's account and assuming the recent audit of state legislative committee correct, there was no deficit last December 31, but a surplus of \$680,855.38, according to the letter of transmittal to the Governor.

In a statement issued when he made public the letter from the State Treasurer and Auditor, Governor Morrison said: "I have no comment to make upon the statement of Treasurer Lacy and Auditor Durham—the statement speaks for itself." He also expressed the hope that the press of the state would give the statement the widest possible publicity.

The Governor addressed letters to the Treasurer and Auditor on August 20 asking for information made public today. He also asked a monthly statement be made to him hereafter, showing financial condition of the state for each thirty day period.

Salisbury Gets Prohibition Headquarters. Washington, Sept. 20.—To co-ordinate prohibition work in North Carolina, Prohibition Commissioner Hanes today announced the removal of the fifth division headquarters comprising the North Carolina and parts of Virginia from High Point, N. C. to Salisbury. The headquarters of the state director are at Salisbury and Benjamin C. Sharpe, federal division chief, also is acting as Federal field agent in North Carolina.

DISREGARDS ORDER FROM GOV. BRANDON ABOUT GRAND JURY

Solicitor James Davis Plans to Continue Investigation Relative to Treatment of Prisoners in Alabama.

GRAND JURY TO HEAR EVIDENCE

Governor Brandon Declared Grand Jury Could Not Investigate Conditions Which Were Created by Him.

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 20 (By the Associated Press).—Solicitor James Davis will proceed with his investigation at Banner Mine in spite of Governor William W. Brandon's letter yesterday in which the Executive said an inquiry would not be tolerated, as sole authority in governing convicts rested with the Governor of the state.

Mr. Davis left Montgomery at 5 a. m. after consulting with the Governor, and upon arrival here went directly to his office to prepare for the opening of the grand jury at 9 o'clock.

He declined to comment on the letter addressed to him by Governor Brandon, in which the Governor stated that the punishment administered to the criminal who led a recent mutiny at Banner Mine resulting in the wrecking of valuable machinery, and endangering many lives, was administered only after a thorough investigation by men of known integrity, and in which he further declared he would not tolerate a special session of the grand jury for the purpose of investigating conditions in the Alabama prison camps.

Officials of the mining company, a convict quartered at Banner, and L. A. Boyd, president of the state board of convict supervisors, are among witnesses who have been summoned to appear before the grand jury today.

SILENT WITNESS IN NAVAL INVESTIGATION

The Log of a Radio Compass Will Be Used to Determine Whether Orders Were Carried Out by Ships.

San Diego, Sept. 20.—(By the Associated Press).—The log of a radio compass station signals of which the navigator of destroyer squadron eleven yesterday testified were disregarded on the night of September 8th when a change of course to the eastward carried seven vessels of the squadron square into the rocks off Hond, Calif., is scheduled to appear as a silent witness before the naval court of inquiry investigating the disaster, when its sessions are resumed here tomorrow.

Both the log itself, which shows what signals were sent and received at Point Arguon between noon and midnight of September 8th, and the radio men on watch there during that time will be brought before the court for comparison with previous testimony of witnesses concerning radio compass signals, it was announced today.

HAMMOCK IN PULLMAN BERTHS IS SOON TO GO

No More Will It Be Source of Misery to Hick Baseball Recruits.

Chicago, Sept. 19.—Hick baseball recruits, traveling for the first time in their lives in sleeping cars, should be grateful to the Pullman Company for deciding to eliminate the hammock in the berths. These hammocks have always been useful to practical jokers.

Instead of the hammock, the Pullman Company will install a shelf, high above the berth, five feet two inches long and ten inches wide, which will permit the guest to lay out his clothing flat. The shelf is a collapsible rack of webbing, he'd in place by a steel frame when the berth is made up for the night.

Amuel Gompers, the veteran president of the American Federation of Labor, was but 15 years old when he took out his first union card.

THE CABARRUS COUNTY SINGING SOCIETY

To Hold Meeting at West Baptist Church Next Sunday Afternoon.

The Cabarrus County Singing Convention will hold its monthly sing at the West Concord Baptist Church next Sunday afternoon, September 23rd, at 2:30 o'clock. The public is invited to this sing.

Every choir in the county is asked to be present and sing, as the membership is open to all choirs. At the last meeting at the Roberta Methodist Protestant church there were three choirs present, and the crowd in attendance was too large for the church.

Each choir makes its own selections which are usually Sunday school songs, and the idea of the organization is to inspire better singing in the Sunday schools of the county.

Rev. J. T. Sisk is president of the organization, Rev. R. G. Short is vice president, and Mr. J. M. Talbot is secretary and treasurer.

LENOIR REMOVAL IS GIVEN A BIG BOOST

Daniel Rhyme Gives \$100,000 to School If Moved to Gastonia.

Gastonia, Sept. 19.—The Lenoir-Rhyme college campaign received a substantial boost this afternoon when Daniel E. Rhyme, Lincoln county capitalist and millionaire, in response to a visit from a delegation of Gastonia citizens, subscribed \$100,000 to the campaign being waged in Gaston county.

Mr. Rhyme's donation was made without conditions or provisions whatsoever other than those that are attached to all the subscriptions, all being conditioned on the removal of the college.

The delegation visiting Mr. Rhyme was composed of A. E. Woltz, general chairman for the county, and S. N. Boyce, H. G. Rankin, A. G. Myers, E. J. Rankin and J. H. Kennedy. They endorsed their cause. Mr. Rhyme and he was very gracious in his reception of the delegation and cordial in his attitude toward the attempt of Gaston county to get the college.

It has been known all along, Mr. Rhyme having published a signed statement some week ago, that he was favorable to Gaston county. He has been a liberal contributor to the college all along, and has helped it over many a weak place. Lately he has become dissatisfied with the apparent apathy that exists in Hickory toward Lenoir college, and it is reported that he has repeatedly made the assertion that he does not intend to give much more to the college as long as it remains in Hickory.

ADDITIONAL TRUE BILLS AGAINST GOVERNOR HARVEY

Bill Also Returned Against Fred Peters, Director of Bank For Unlawful Borrowing.

Charleston, S. C., Sept. 19.—The grand jury of Charleston county today brought in two more true bills in the Enterprise bank case, a second indictment having been made against former director G. Harvey, as president of this defunct bank, in which it is alleged that the defendant, as president, director and officer, received deposits after he had become aware of the bank's insolvency.

A true bill also was returned against Fred C. Peters, as director, alleging that he borrowed unlawfully certain sums of money on behalf of several corporations of which he was an officer and stockholder. True bills yesterday were returned against former Gov. Wilson G. Harvey and his brother, H. J. Harvey, alleged unlawful loans being the basis of action.

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Fresh meats at Cline & Moore, New ad. today gives attractive list of kind carried. C. H. Barrier & Co. pay good prices for produce. Persons interested should call at the company for particulars.

The Specialty Hat Shop can supply your wants if you will just make them known.

The Richmond-Flows Company has a supply of Maybank Fish Fertilizer. Bought in large lots so prices are right. John K. Patterson, real estate agent, has a number of valuable farms and city property for sale. See list in new ad. today.

PRESIDENT OF FAIR SEES MUCH BENEFIT IN EXTRA EDITION

Jos. F. Cannon, Head of Fair Association, Feels Certain Special Edition Will Help Cause of the Fair.

WILL HELP BOOST THE COUNTY, ALSO

In Giving Advertisements to Edition Business Men Help Themselves, Their County and County Fair.

Mr. J. F. Cannon, president of the Cabarrus Fair Association, whose interest in promoting the fair is well known, heartily approved of the special edition of The Tribune and Times, which is to appear October 9th, saying that he was glad to read of the decision of the management to publish a county fair and industrial edition devoted to recording the progress made in Cabarrus county in the last few years.

"We have spent time and money" said Mr. Cannon, "in providing a modern fair grounds at Concord, and we ought all to do our best to attract as large an attendance as possible so that the expense of the fair will be met and a surplus piled up to make next year's fair a bigger and better one. If we try hard enough we can make Cabarrus county's fair one of the very best south of the Mason and Dixon line. It all depends on ourselves. We have the fertile soil and the right class of farmers and business men to accomplish almost anything we set out to do."

"I think the special edition of The Tribune and Times will be most helpful in advertising the importance of the fair, and in addition will provide an interesting record of the substantial growth which has been made in Cabarrus county. I have seen some of the special articles which have been prepared for the edition, and it seems to me that The Tribune and Times management is going into the production of this special edition in a very thorough way."

SALISBURY SCHOOL BOY KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE

Seven-Year-Old Son of G. W. Sheek Struck on Bridge While Going Home From School.

Salisbury, Sept. 19.—A most distressing accident occurred this afternoon when little Roy Sheek, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gomer W. Sheek, was killed by an automobile.

The boy had just left the Ellis Street school, where he was a member of the second grade, and was crossing the overhead bridge at the western railroad on his way home. Going from one side of the bridge towards the other side, where it is thought, he was going to see a train that was passing under the bridge, he emerged from behind a wagon that was standing on the bridge just in time to be struck by the fender of an automobile that was driven by George A. Peeler, head mechanic for Rouser Motor Company. The child's skull was crushed and he died within half an hour at the Salisbury Hospital.

Dr. H. H. Newman, county coroner, investigated the accident and had a jury hear evidence tonight. The verdict of the jury was "unavoidable accident."

NEW RATE CHANGES HAVE BEEN POSTPONED

New Rate Will Not Become Effective Until January 18th, Under New Orders.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, Sept. 20.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today announced suspension until January 18th, of the proposed rate changes on various carload and less than carload commodity tariffs affecting practically every railroad south of the Potomac and Ohio rivers. Investigation of the schedules is suggested and which were to have become effective tomorrow was ordered by the commission.

The suspended schedule proposed to cancel various less than carload commodity rates, and cancel all carload commodity rates to admit of revised rates. There had been no movement. They provided also for revision in carload commodity rates where there is known to be a movement, such revision resulting on both increases and reductions from points in the southeast and Carolina territories to points in the Mississippi valley territory.

Oklahoma Legislature May Meet in Arkansas. Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 19.—"The Oklahoma legislature will meet next week—even if the members have to convene in Arkansas or Texas." Representative John H. Miller, Tulsa, told newspapermen tonight following his return from Oklahoma City where he had been active several days in secret endeavors to organize a majority of the lower house.

Admitting that armed guardsmen might prevent a meeting in the state house at Oklahoma City, the legislator declared that those who are behind the move are prepared to gather elsewhere, in Oklahoma if possible, or beyond the border of the state if necessary.

Cited to Appear in Court. (By the Associated Press.) Havana, Cuba, Sept. 20.—Approximately twenty leaders of the recently organized Veterans and Patriots Association were cited today to appear before Attorney General of Cuba this afternoon in connection with their activities in the movement. The men were taken into custody but were not detained.

Announcement
Our 52nd Series in This Old Reliable Building and Loan Association Is Now Open.
Running Shares Cost 25 cents per share per week.
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